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## Your Hat, Sir!

P-B is displaying de luxe styles in fall hats for discriminating men. Styles to fit your features—ask to see the Omars at \$3—the Ramos at 2.

Particular attention is called to P-B's "Made in America Hats" for American men—America first in style, wear, and value.

## Odds and Ends In Underwear—Final

Unusual quality Underwear selling at 7c and \$1.00. Special, 25c odd sizes. Drawers \$3.50, 32 sizes. Shirts \$4.42, 46 sizes only.

## School Days and P-B

Mothers find it a pleasure to buy the boy's school outfit at this big shop for little men. Here you find, above all, quality, quantity, and value.

## Featuring—

School Suits at \$5 and 6. The famous Need-Met Suits, with extra pants.

Boys' Reefers, 3.95 up to 10.00.

Clearing Odds and Ends in Wash Suits—sizes 3 to 6 only—at unusual reductions.

Boys' Caps for school wear—hundreds of better qualities at 50c up.

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The Avenue at Ninth

## FIRE DEPARTMENT PROMOTIONS MADE

T. J. Donohue Named Permanent Battalion Chief and Lieut. Weaver a Captain.

NONE HAS APPLIED YET TO RETIRE ON PENSION

Four Members of Police Force Are Eligible, Being Over Seventy Years Old.

The Commissioners today appointed Timothy J. Donohue, acting fire battalion chief, to battalion chief; B. W. Weaver of No. 8 engine company from lieutenant to captain; Frank Hellmuth of No. 6 engine company from sergeant to lieutenant; and W. J. O'Donnell of No. 11 engine company from private of class 2 to sergeant. The promotions were made on recommendation of Fire Chief Frank J. Wagner.

The promotion of Chief Donohue comes at the end of thirty-two years' service in the department, he having been appointed in 1884, promoted to lieutenant in 1890 and to captain in 1895. In 1910 he was assigned as acting fourth battalion chief. Capt. Weaver has been in the department since 1890 and Lieut. Hellmuth since 1901. The latter twice has been commended for bravery.

Although the new firemen and policemen's pension law is now in operation, and there are members of both branches of service eligible for retirement, the Commissioners have as yet received no applications for retirement. In the fire department there are eleven members who are sixty years old and may be retired.

The law provides that members of both departments, who have reached the age of fifty-five and served twenty-five years may be retired if, for any cause, they have become permanently disabled. In the police department there are four men over seventy, twenty-eight between sixty and seventy and fifty-four between fifty-five and sixty years.

Maj. Pullman, superintendent of police, expressed surprise today because no requests for retirement had been received. In view of the passage of the bill appropriating money for the payment of pensions to retired members of the department, he stated, he expected this morning he would receive an avalanche of applications. No intimation has been given that any will be received.

Three of the four members of the police force who are over seventy years of age, it is stated, probably will be retired in the near future. Maj. Pullman said, however, that the question of retiring them has not been passed upon.

One inspector, two captains and one lieutenant, it is stated, are among the twenty-eight members of the force more than sixty years old who may be retired, in the discretion of the Commissioners.

The appropriation of \$180,000, it is stated, is sufficient to pay retirement money to all the eligibles, and while Maj. Pullman says he is unable to say just what is going to be done, it is known that many young members of the force already have their eyes on the supposed prospective vacancies.

Many of the older members of the force have signified an intention of asking for retirement. Some of them think their years of activity should entitle them to promotion before retirement, in order that they may get a pension of more than \$50, but the Commissioners, it is thought, will not favor wholesale promotions for such a purpose.

## R. J. WHITEFORD RETIRES FROM DISTRICT OFFICE

Resigns Position of Assistant Corporation Counsel and Is Succeeded by R. L. Williams.



ROGER J. WHITEFORD.

Roger J. Whiteford, assistant corporation counsel of the District since 1913, today resigned to engage in the general practice of law.

The Commissioners have promoted Robert L. Williams, assistant corporation counsel, to the vacancy and appointed Percival H. Marshall, former assistant corporation counsel, to the position held by Mr. Williams.

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caused by his resignation in August, 1915, was filled by the appointment of Mr. Whiteford.

Mr. Whiteford took a prominent part in drafting the fake auction and false advertising bills, which have become law. His work as assistant corporation counsel is commended in a letter to the Commissioners by Corporation Counsel Conrad H. Syme.

## BIG COTTON CROP GAIN.

1916 Report Shows Increase Over the Last Two Years.

Cotton of the growth of 1916 gained prior to September amounted to 850,000 bales, counting round as half bales, the census bureau today announced in its first ginning report of the season. That compares with 463,883 bales last year, 480,317 in 1914 and 799,099 in 1915.

Sea Island bales included number 1,431, compared with 2,097 last year, 1,748 in 1914 and 436 in 1915. Ginning by states were: Alabama, 22,727 bales; Arkansas, 14,761; California, 443; Florida, 2,881; Georgia, 212,754; Louisiana, 29,780; Mississippi, 10,081; North Carolina, 280; Oklahoma, 7,777; South Carolina, 26,769; Tennessee, 120; Texas, 522,008.

The Brazilian government has decreed that products offered for sale as butter must contain at least 80 per cent of butter fat and not more than 15 per cent of acid content.

## PRESIDENT LEAVES CITY FOR ABSENCE OF WEEKS

He and Mrs. Wilson and Party on Way to Shadow Lawn Via Atlantic City.

Departing from Washington this afternoon at 1 o'clock, President Wilson may not be seen again at the White House for a number of weeks.

With him went Mrs. Wilson and other members of the presidential household. Secretary Tumulty, Assistant Secretaries Foster and Brahany, a number of clerks and stenographers and all the secret service men.

They traveled in a special train, which will reach Atlantic City after 5 o'clock this afternoon. The President and Mrs. Wilson will remain there until tomorrow morning and then go to Shadow Lawn.

Some of the White House attaches did not travel to Atlantic City, going on to Asbury Park, where the summer executive offices have been installed.

Unable to Complete Program. The President did as much work at

the White House today as possible before leaving, but took with him a large amount of executive work that he will finish at Shadow Lawn and Asbury Park. He has a large number of pardon cases before him for consideration, many commissions to sign and a mass of details that will take him some days to clean up.

The executive offices here will be in touch with the President right along. N. P. Webster and M. C. Latta, two of the oldest and most experienced clerks, will have charge of things around the White House while the President and Mr. Tumulty are away. Telegraphers will be on duty all the time, and the orders of the President will be transmitted to the various department officials.

## WILL NOT TOUR COUNTRY.

President Will Make No Political Trips During Campaign.

President Wilson told Senator Huston of Wisconsin today that his present plan was to make speeches only before non-partisan organizations during the campaign. He did not include addresses he will make before delegations which will be received at Long Branch, N. J. Senator Huston asked the President to speak in Wisconsin, but Mr. Wilson replied that he had no present intention of making political speeches in different parts of the country.

Three men require six months to make a cashmere shawl, which is worked from ten goats' fleeces.

## CRITICISES HUNGARIAN POLICY TOWARD ITALY

LONDON, September 8.—A Reuter dispatch from Budapest says that Count Andrássy, the former premier, in a long speech moved that the delegations be convoked. He strongly criticized the Austro-Hungarian policy toward Italy before the war, characterizing it as an honest policy clumsily carried out.

"We offered everything at the wrong time," he said, "thereby strengthening the Italian war party." Count Tisza, the premier, in reply urged the rejection of Count Andrássy's motion. He defended the government's policy regarding Italy and denied Count Andrássy's assertion that the military situation had grown worse.

## Gets Site Where Zeppelin Fell.

LONDON, September 8.—The site on the hillside at Curry, where Lieut. William Lee Robinson of the Royal Flying Corps brought down a Zeppelin during the German air raid on the east coast of England Saturday night has been presented to the nation by its owner, Mrs. Kidston. The gift is made with the understanding that a suitable monument shall be erected by public subscription on the spot where the Zeppelin fell.

## RUSSIANS CLINGING TO DVINA POSITIONS

German Attacks Declared Futile. Teutons Admit Retirement in Galicia.

LONDON, September 8.—Russian troops which have crossed the Dvina river north of Dvinsk were attacked repeatedly by the Germans yesterday. The Russian war office announced, but succeeded in holding the captured positions.

After heavy fighting with the Russians in the sector southeast of Lemberg, eastern Galicia, the Germans have fallen back in the sector between the Zlota Lipa and Dniester rivers, the German war office announced. Russian attacks near Huzany, on the Zlota Lipa, southeast of Lemberg, were unsuccessful. It is declared.

In the Carpathians, southwest of Zlota Lipa (thirty-five miles southeast of Stanislaw) and on the Bagaludova, west of the Kurland valley (on the border between Bukovina and Hungary) the Russians made attacks which were repulsed, according to Berlin.

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Of course there are a lot of stores where you can buy the incomparable musical instrument, but if you want UNEXCELLED SERVICE along with your Grafonola—Hecht & Co.'s Talking Machine Shop is the place of your choice.

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Our Specialized Clothes Service is different in that we carry complete lines of Society Brand and Aristocrat-ic Clothes at all times. We don't invite you men of Washington to a sale of odds and ends at reduced prices, but to complete stocks in all sizes—including the latest mid-season shipments from these famous makers—and we can personally promise the man who buys a suit here now that the style is absolutely RIGHT FOR FALL—the patterns are right—and the weights are right—and remember—we want to emphasize the fact that this positively is the last week to buy Society Brand and Aristocrat-ic Suits at these reduced prices. It's now or never!

Men's and Young Men's \$15 \$10.75  
and \$18 Aristocrat-ic Suits Now...  
\$20 to \$25 Aristocrat-ic and \$15.75  
Society Brand Suits Now...  
\$25 to \$30 Society Brand \$18.75  
and Aristocrat-ic Suits Now...  
\$30 and \$35 Society Brand and \$21.75  
Aristocrat-ic Suits Now...

## The Society Brand Fall Style Books Are Here

Come in and get your book and find out what you and all the other good dressers of Washington are going to wear this season.

The Aristocrat-ic Clothes Shop :: Home of Society Brand Clothes  
Hecht & Co., First Floor

Ready!—New Fall Hats—Stetsons and Other Good Makes

Introducing the Newest in Fall Neckwear for Men  
New and Distinctive Patterns at 55c

Certainly the quality and patterns will measure up with any Four-in-Hands on Fifth avenue. Breezy, bright and aglow with the tints of autumn, they strike home to the man who is particular about his neckwear. Stripes, figures and all-over effects galore—the handsomest ties in town at the price. Yes, they ARE SOME TIES even in the face of higher costs for everything that goes into their making.

Men's New Fall Neglige Shirts—Patterns that are individual—works that are both gay and conservative and all-around of the custom-made order. You'll like our showing at \$1.15

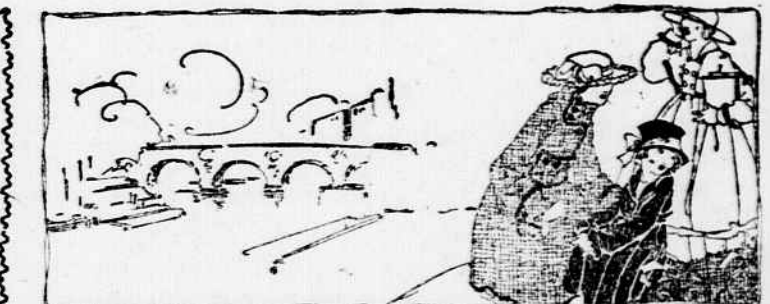
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"The Lost Shade" or Purple Mahogany  
A New "Foot Model" for Men



Tops of leather or buck, tips either straight or wing, button or lace models, with narrow or wide toes. Sizes Triple A to D, 5's to 11's.  
\$8.00 the pair

Foot Model Shoe Shop on the Third Floor.



Getting the Girls Ready for Fall  
Is no task at all if you come to Hecht & Co.'s

## Dainty New White Dresses, \$1.29

In styles and sizes for the girl of 6 to 14 years. Made up carefully of sheer voile and lawn, trimmed with rows of lace insertion and cluster of pin tucks; some of all-over embroidery, with full pleated skirts.

## Girls' New Fall Wash Dresses, \$1.00

Mothers, it really does not pay to make dresses when you can buy pretty frocks like these for as little as one dollar. There's a wide choice of styles made up in Anderson's Fast-color Gingham, with large cape collars, box pleated, high or low waisted, with belts, silk tie and braid trimming. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## The Popular New Middies Are Here at \$1.00

These new and very attractive models are plain, belted, smocked or pleated and are made of the best quality Lonsdale jean. Fast color collar, cuffs and pockets in various colors. Sizes 6 to 22 years.

## Girls' New School Skirts, 89c

Of navy blue or white galatea, full pleated with bands or made with bodies; finished with deep hem. The ideal skirt to wear with the middie. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## Girls' New Coats, \$4.98 to \$9.98

Of plain serges, in navy, rose, green, copenhagen, tan and black, also fancy mixtures and novelty checks, in new high-waisted effects, with large patch pockets; plain or with belts. Revere and button-to-neck collars. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## Sweaters for the Cool Days, 98c to \$5.98

Made of wool mixtures, with the popular roll collars, belts and pockets. Colors include red, navy, green, rose, tan, gray, white and light blue. Some button high to neck, others "V" shape. Pearl button trimmings. Sizes for girls of 6 to 14 years.



ADVANCE SHOWING OF  
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Autumn Millinery

Specialization has born fruit—as in past seasons we will offer Trimmed Hats of the PARISienne line for \$5.55 that bear the latest imprint of fashion, coupled with a refinement and distinction that will make a strong appeal to women who want the best in style and exclusiveness at a moderate price.

\$5.55

"How long do you intend to advertise a discount of 25% on your entire stocks of furniture?"

A friend asked us.

Until the very last day of September we will continue to allow the Washington homemakers this generous discount—ONE-FOURTH OF EVERY DOLLAR on our entire stocks of good furniture.

We are trying hard to give the people what they want when they want it and a material saving—we are sure the September 25% Discount Sale of Good Furniture is not suffering by comparison.

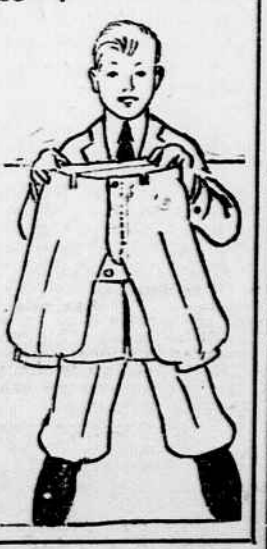


For School Days and All the Year Round  
Boys' All-Wool Two-Trousers Suits, a regular \$7.50 value \$5.95

In the face of the ever-rising costs we have not advanced the price on these Good Value Suits for boys—nor have we lowered the quality. We will continue to offer the same wear-resisting, natty fabrics, made up carefully and reinforced where the wear is greatest. There are mixtures, blue serges and corduroys, in the popular Pinchback Norfolk style, with three-piece belt and full peg double-sewn trousers. Sizes 6 to 18 years. Colors are gray, tan, brown and olive, in the mixtures and corduroys, and plain blue serges.

For Dressy Occasions  
Boys' Blue Serge Suits... \$4.95

Of fast color navy blue hard-twisted serge—the kind that will give a good account of itself. New pinchback models, with three-piece belt and full-cut lined pants. All seams are taped; the coat has double-service serge lining. Sizes 6 to 17 years.



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